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In re Application of:

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Examiner: Steven H. Versteeg

Group Art Unit: 1753

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Customer No.: 23720

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For: METHOD OF FORMING A  
CONDUCTIVE BARRIER LAYER  
HAVING IMPROVED COVERAGE  
WITHIN CRITICAL OPENINGS

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 8, 2005**

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This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated June 8, 2005, for which the three-month date for response is September 8, 2005.

A fee in the amount of \$200.00 is believed to be due in connection with the present paper. The Director is authorized to deduct such fee, and any other fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21, from the Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. Deposit Account No. 01-0365/DE0346.<sup>1</sup>

Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

<sup>1</sup> In the event the monies in that account are insufficient, the Director is authorized to withdraw funds from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2000.108100.

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